

Title (en)

Vertical spindle machine tool with tiltable spindle and tiltable automatic tool changer.

Title (de)

Werkzeugmaschine mit schwenkbarer, senkrechter Spindel und mit schwenkbarer, automatischer Werkzeugwechseleinrichtung.

Title (fr)

Machine-outil à broche verticale basculante et changeur d'outils automatique basculant.

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Abstract (en)

The spindle head (72) of a gantry type vertical spindle machining center (10) is slidably mounted on a spindle base (46) which is pivotally mounted on the saddle (36) for rocking movement about a horizontal axis (56) to cause the axis of the spindle to tilt from the vertical. A tool storage magazine (82) is mounted on the spindle base (46) and is tiltable along with the spindle to enable toolholders (78) to be transferred between the spindle and tool storage magazine (82) at any spindle tilt angle. A tool changer arm (86) is mounted on the tool storage magazine (82) for transferring tools between the spindle and the tool storage magazine (82).

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